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From his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Savoy's Camp at St. Pierre d'Albigny, July 25. *N. S.*

Lieutenant-General Zumjungen having without any Difficulty remov'd the Enemy from the Paſſes, call'd the Bauges, advanc'd with his Detachment to la Tuille, a Poſt that commands the Caſtle of Montmelian, where he was inform'd, the Duke of Berwick had order'd the Troops entrench'd there to retire towards Barreaux, and had given Directions for thoſe, that were encamp'd at Chambery, to march to Pont Beau-voiſin; whereupon General Zumjungen diſpatch'd a Courier to Conflans to give the Duke of Savoy an Account of it, and of the Diſpoſitions he ſaw in the Enemy to retreat. Immediately upon this Advice, his Royal Highneſs went with Mareſchal Thaun to the Place where General Zumjungen was poſted, in order to obſerve the Enemies Motions, and diſpoſe every thing for the March of our Army; after which he came to this Place, under a Guard of fifteen hundred Horſe, Commanded by the Marquis d' Entrades, and ſent Orders for the Army to decamp from Conflans; the Foot to advance to Montmelian, and the Cavalry, under the Command of General Viſconti, to march towards Annecy, to obſerve a Detachment of three Regiments of Dragoons and ſome Foot, which, we are inform'd, the Enemy have ſent to Seiſſel; not only to oppoſe our paſſing the Rhone at that Place, but alſo by their Incurſions to interrupt our Communication with Geneva. At the ſame time General Ternaw was ordered to attack the Caſtle of Miolans; which lying on the Road between this Place and Conflans, it was abſolutely neceſſary we ſhould make our ſelves Maſters thereof: Accordingly this Morning the Garriſon, conſiſting of about one hundred and fifty Men, were oblig'd to ſurrender Priſoners of War. Deſerters come over daily to us in great Numbers, and unanimouſly report, that the Enemy being ſenſible that we out-number them in Horſe, and that our Cavalry is in a much better Condition than theirs, are apprehenſive of our paſſing the Rhone, and laying the whole Country, as far as Lyons, under Contribution.

Camp at Aveſnes les Secques, Aug. 7. *N. S.* Yeſterday about Noon his Grace the Duke of Marlborough received Advice, That the Enemy's Army was decamping, with a deſign to paſs the Schelde, and poſt themſelves between Cambray and Bouchain, in order to cover the latter from a Siege; whereupon his Grace gave Orders for our Army to march, and paſs that River to prevent the Enemies Deſigns. We begun our March at Four in the Afternoon, in four Columns; and having paſs'd the Schelde at Eſtrun, we encamp'd this Morning with the Right at Invy, and the Left at Neuville. General Roſs, who commanded the forty Squadrons that made the Rear-Guard, is come to give his Grace an Account, that all the Troops are come into the Camp, the Enemy having made no Attempt to diſturb them in their March.

Camp at Aveſnes les Secquets, Aug. 10. *N. S.* On Friday the 7th Inſtant we began to make Bridges over the Schelde below Bouchain at Neuville, as well to open a Communication with Doway, and other Places on the Schelde, from whence we are to receive our Proviſions, as to make a Paſſage for the Troops, that are to be employ'd in the Siege of Bouchain, for which the Diſpoſition is now making, and the Attack is to be carry'd on from the other ſide of the River. The Enemy, upon our coming hither, and preventing their taking this Camp, as they had deſign'd, in order to cover Bouchain, encamp'd between the Senſet, and the upper Schelde, and have made ſeveral Detachments, which paſs'd over the former by the Bridges in the Front of their Army, to intercept our Baggage, that was ſent to Pont a Rache upon our laſt March, and our Bread, that was coming from Douay: which his Grace the Duke of Marlborough having Notice of, march'd himſelf on Saturday with the Left Wing of Horſe to the Hauteur of Vignonette, where he remain'd till they arriv'd ſafe at the Camp. Early this Morning his Grace paſs'd the Schelde with forty Squadrons of Horſe, and went to view the Approaches to Bouchain, making the Diſpoſition for drawing the Lines of Circumvallation; when he receiv'd Advice, that the Mareſchal de Villars was paſſing his Army over the Schelde, near Cambray, and forming his Lines as if he deſign'd to come to a general Engagement. His Grace thereupon return'd back to the Camp, and advancing in Order of Battle towards the Enemy, they repaſs'd the Schelde, and return'd to their former Camp. His Grace, for preventing the like Alarm for the future, has given Orders for making ſeveral Lunettes in the Front of our Camp, which may hereafter be joyn'd by Lines, if it ſhall be thought neceſſary.

Hague, Aug. 11. *N. S.* The States of Holland met on Friday laſt, according to their former Adjournment, and are ſtill aſſembled. They have had under their Conſideration the moſt effectual Means for preventing all Commerce with France, but are not yet come to any Reſolution on that Head, however it is believ'd that Affair will be brought to a final Determination this Week. General Sekendorf is arriv'd here from the King of Poland, being ſent hither to Negotiate ſome Matters with the States-General, relating to the Affairs of the North. Since his arrival he has been in Conference with the Deputies of the States, and with the Miniſters of the ſeveral Princes concern'd in the Neutrality of the Empire. Our Letters from Savoy of the 22d of the laſt Month, confirm the Advices we had before receiv'd from Geneva, that the Duke of Berwick had quitted his Camp near Montmelian; and they write from Paris, that the Duke of Savoy's Forces had penetrated into the Lionnois. We have Letters from Conſtantinople dated the 2d of July, importing, that according to the Advices they had receiv'd there from their Army, the Turks have paſs'd the Danube, and the Muſcovites are advanc'd ſo near 'em, that they expect every Day to hear of an Action. On the 7th Inſtant at Night publick Rejoicings were made at this Place, upon the News that the Army of the Allies had paſs'd the French Lines the 5th in the Morning at Arleux, without any